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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6376 NOTE PREPARED: Dec 1, 2006

BILL NUMBER: SB 126 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Student Health Measurements.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Dillon

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: State & Local

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<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> The bill requires each school corporation to report certain student health data to the State Department of Health (SDH) beginning in 2008. The bill requires the SDH to publish an annual report summarizing the data.

Effective Date: July 1, 2007.

<u>Explanation of State Expenditures:</u> *Summary:* Under the bill, the SDH would be required to publish an annual report that summarizes student growth information reported by school corporations. The SDH should be able to fulfill this provision within the existing level of resources available.

Background: The SDH reverted \$4.8 M at the close of FY 2006. The annual budget for SDH administration is \$27.34 M for FY 2007.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Local schools would likely require additional administrative time to collect and report the student growth information to the SDH. Schools able to use existing personnel and resources should be able to collect and report the required data with minimal additional expenditure. Under the bill, the information collected by schools would include a student's height, weight, ethnicity, age, and gender.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

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State Agencies Affected: Indiana State Department of Health.

Local Agencies Affected: School corporations.

<u>Information Sources:</u> Indiana State Budget Agency: *General Fund Property Tax Replacement Fund And Rainy Day Fund Summaries FY 2006; State of Indiana List of Appropriations July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2007.*

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